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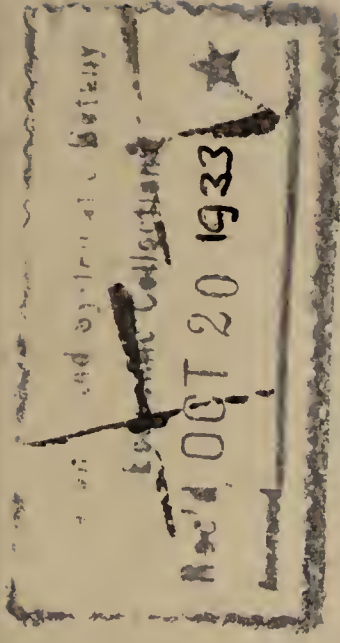
ROCK GARDENS

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# Plants for Rock Gardens



*Listings by P. J. van Melle*

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## Introduction

As a measure of economy we present at this time simply a price list of plants suitable for use in and about the Rock Garden; alpine and other plants, certain shrubs and evergreens.

This list contains only a selection from the assortment in our display and trial grounds. Seekers after rare things will find in our nursery no end of unusual and interesting plants, available in limited quantities.

Visitors are cordially invited. Those who come from afar and desire special attendance are requested to inform us in advance of their visit. Weekdays are preferred.

Inquiries are solicited for uncommon plants not listed here.

Every firm selling rock plants today offers its peculiar advantages and appeals to one or other special plant interest. This is what may attract lovers and students of plants to our offerings:

*Except in a few instances where names are given within quotation marks, we list only names of good standing;—names of demonstrable meaning in terms of plants.*

*These names are applied to our plants only after careful investigation, or upon the advice of competent botanists.*

*We list no specific names,—we offer no plants by such names, upon the say-so of commercial seed- or plant lists. We raise very few plants from seed, and in no case offer untested seedlings.*

*There is no more fallible source of rock plants than the commercial seed-packet.*

*Practically all our plants are propagated vegetatively from carefully checked stock plants. In this, we believe, lies the best obtainable insurance of genuine materials.*

*Seedlings offered are so marked.*

Names listed conform, so far as possible, to those in HORTUS, by Dr. L. H. Bailey,—the best general guide to plants and plant names available to gardeners today.

Our assortment of rock plants comprises at all times a round thousand of distinct items. It would be impracticable to grow even one-half of this number in considerable quantities.

Plants listed are in stock at the time of this publication in quantities sufficient for estimated wants.

Plants will be packed with the utmost care. Should any errors occur in the filling of orders, please inform us promptly.

## Terms and Conditions

Shipments travel at the purchaser's risk. Our responsibility for them ceases when



they have been delivered to the carrying Company or to the Post Office.

Plants will be shipped promptly, or on dates specified, in so far as they are ready for shipment. Unfilled balances will follow when these plants are ready. Express shipments will go out with transportation charges collect. Truck delivery is often preferable, and can be made at a minimum of cost.

Purchasers unknown to us will please remit with their orders.

The following quantity discounts will be allowed: Five per cent on orders amounting to from fifty to one hundred dollars. Ten per cent on orders over one hundred dollars.

*Please read the above information carefully. Orders are accepted only upon the above terms and conditions.*

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*Poughkeepsie, N. Y.*

*P. O. Box 278*

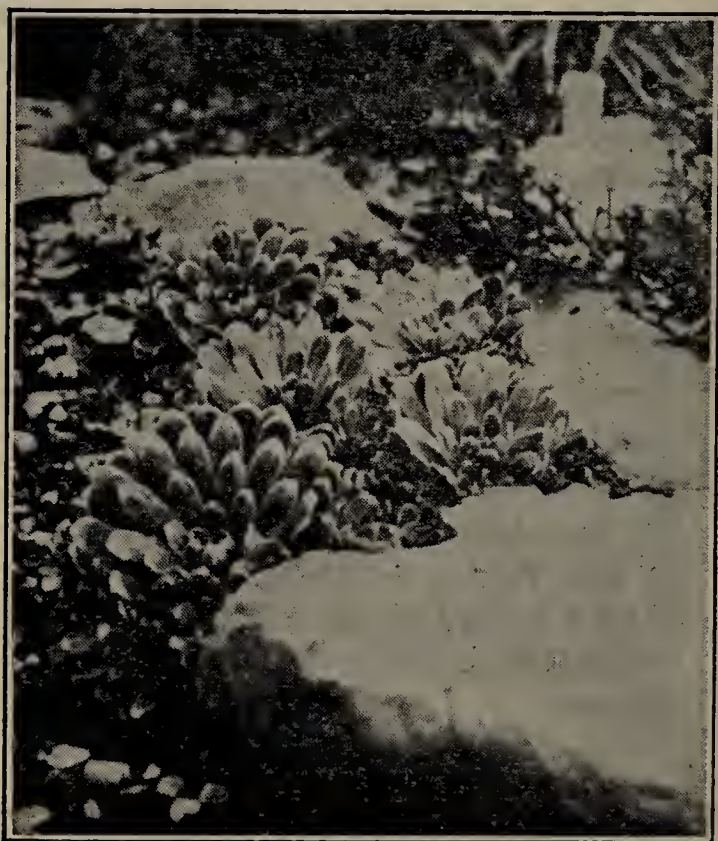
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*Lectures on Plants for Rock Gardens, illustrated with original lantern slides, by Mr. P. J. van Melle, may be arranged by addressing him at Box 278, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Terms upon application.*

**This catalogue supersedes and cancels the price list supplement, terms and conditions contained in our illustrated handbook, "IN AND ABOUT THE ROCK GARDEN."**

**This descriptive and servicable handbook is still available, upon remittance of 20 cents in postage. It contains original accounts and photographs of hundreds of plants in our trial grounds.**

**It will be found a most helpful guide in the selection of plants for various purposes.**



Names with quotation marks must be taken with some reservation as to both names and application. They may or may not be correct.

Abbreviations: S, seedlings; tr., transplanted; B & B, balled and burlapped.

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ACHILLEA nana .....	.30
serbica .....	.40
tomentosa .....	.30
tomentosa, larger, woolly form..	.50
ACTINEA herbacea.....	.50
ADONIS amurensis (Early A.)....	.50
amurensis, dble-flwg.....	.60
AJUGA genevensis (clear blue)....	.40
ALCHEMILLA alpina (Lady's Mantle) .....	.40
ALLIUM "glaucum".....	.60
Moly .....	.60
ANCHUSA myosotidiflora, see Brunnera	
ANDROSACE lactiflora.....	.40
sarmentosa .....	.50
sempervivoides (small).....	.60
ANEMONE "blanda".....	.60

NOTE: Our stock of A. blanda may contain material belonging to A. apennina.

We have not thus far been able to obtain a clear determination as between the two in our cultivated plants.

nemerosa, dble white.....	.50
nemerosa, pink, single.....	.80
nemerosa, Robinsoniana.....	.75
ranunculoides .....	.60
sylvestris .....	.50

ANTENNARIA	neodioica	.40
	rhodantha	.40
ARABIS	albida, dble-flwg.	.40
	glabra	.30
	Kellereri	.60
	procurrens	.30
ARENARIA	graminifolia	.50
	rigida	.50
	verna caespitosa	.30
	verna caespitosa, golden form	.50
ASPERULA	hirta	.60
	odorata	.30
ASTER	alpinus	.30
ATHYRUM ( <i>Asplenium</i> )	Goering-	
	ianum	.75
	Goeringianum pictum	.75
BELAMCANDA ( <i>Pardanthus</i> )	chi-	
	nensis	.50
BELLIUM	bellidioides (Linn.)	.50
BERBERIS	*buxifolia nana 10"	
	B & B	1.00
	buxifolia pygmaea 10" B & B	1.00
	*Gagnepainii, S. tr. 6"	.40
	*Julianae, grafted, 2 ft., B & B	1.25
	S. tr. 6-9"	.30
	S. tr. 10-12"	.50
	notabilis,	
	S. from seedbed, 10"	.40
	*Soulieana,	
	S. tr. 6-9"	.30
	S. tr. 10-12"	.50

*triacanthophora	
grafted, 15-18" B & B . . . . .	1.25
S. tr. 6-9" . . . . .	.30
Vernae,	
S. from seedbed, 10-12" . . . . .	.25
*verruculosa,	
grafted, 10-12" B & B . . . . .	1.00
S. tr. 6-9" . . . . .	.30

Note—Barberries marked \* are evergreen.

The above seedlings show some variation in foliage. Many of them are particularly interesting.

BRUCKENTHALIA spiculifolia . . . . .	.60
BRUNNERA macrophylla	
( <i>Anchusa myosotidiflora</i> ) . . . . .	.30
CALACINUM axillare	
( <i>Muhlenbeckia nana</i> ) . . . . .	.40
CAMPANULA caespitosa	
( <i>C. Bellardi</i> , <i>C. pusilla</i> ) . . . . .	.40
caespitosa alba . . . . .	.50
collina . . . . .	.60
garganica . . . . .	.40
garganica hirsuta . . . . .	.50
garganica "pallida" . . . . .	.50
Portenschlagiana ( <i>C. muralis</i> ) . . . . .	.30
"pseudo-Rainerii" (seedling of) . . . . .	.50
pulloides . . . . .	.50
Raddeana . . . . .	.50
rotundifolia alba . . . . .	.40
CARYOPTERIS incanus ( <i>C. Mastacanthus</i> ) . . . . .	.30



CENTAURIUM ( <i>Erythraea</i> ) un-	
named seedlgs . . . . .	.40
CERASTIUM arvense	
Select, low, compact form . . . . .	.40
CHRYSOGONUM virginianum . . . . .	.50
CLERODENDRON trichotomum	
2-3 ft. . . . .	1.00
CONVOLVULUS incanus . . . . .	.60
CORNUS floridus var. Welchii,	
10-12" . . . . .	2.25
floridus var. xanthocarpa seedlgs,	
from bed, 18" . . . . .	.50
CORYDALIS aurea (selected form)	.40
bulbosa ( <i>C. solida</i> ), tubers . . . . .	.50
cheilanthifolia . . . . .	.40
lutea . . . . .	.40
tuberosa ( <i>C. cava</i> ) alba, tubers . . . . .	2.50
COTONEASTER adpressa . . . . .	.75
Dammeri ( <i>C. humifusa</i> ) . . . . .	1.00
Dielsiana ( <i>C. applanata</i> ) 3-4 ft. . . . .	.75
divaricata 1½-2 ft. . . . .	.75
Franchetti, small variety, 1½-2 ft. . . . .	.75
horizontalis, in wire baskets,	
1½-2 ft. . . . .	2.25
nitens 3 ft. . . . .	1.00
pannosa 2 ft. . . . .	1.00
COTULA ( <i>Leptinella</i> ) squalida . . . . .	.40
CYMBALARIA ( <i>Linaria</i> ) aequitri-	
loba . . . . .	.60
hepaticaefolia . . . . .	.50
pilosa . . . . .	.50

CYTISUS nigricans S.....	.40
DAPHNE cneorum 12-15".....	1.00
DIANTHUS alpinus X superbus...	1.50
neglectus .....	.50
unnamed small forms.....	.40
DICENTRA eximia.....	.30
formosa .....	.40
DOUGLASIA Vitaliana .....	.60
DRABA, of the type of D. azoides,	
rosettes .....	.40
bruniifolia .....	.60
fladnizensis .....	.30
rupestris .....	.50
sibirica ( <i>D. repens</i> ).....	.40
EPILOBIUM nummularifolium ...	.50
EPIMEDIUM bicolorum.....	.40
macranthum .....	.30
macranthum niveum.....	.40
macranthum, choice, long spurred	1.00
pinnatum elegans.....	.30
pinnatum sulphureum.....	.30
ERICA vagans.....	.75
ERIGERON compositus.....	.50
ERINUS alpinus.....	.40
ERIOGONUM umbellatum.....	.60
"polyphyllus" .....	.60
ERIOPHYLLUM caespitosum...	.60
ERYTHRAEA, see Centaurium	
EUONYMUS alatus compactus 1½'	.75
japon. microphyllus( <i>E. pulchellus</i> )	.60
nanus ( <i>E. rosmarinifolius</i> ).....	.75

patens	1½-2ft.	.75
radicans minimus	( <i>E. Kewensis</i> )	.50
radicans coloratus		.50
EUPHORBIA	Myrsinites	.40
FESTUCA	glauca	.30
GAULTHERIA	procumbens	.30
GENISTA	sagittalis	.50
	silvestris pungens ( <i>G. dalmatica</i> )	.60
GENTIANA	acaulis	.60
	acaulis, heavy clumps	1.00
	septemfida, heavy,	.75
GERANIUM	Pylzowianum	.50
	sanguin. prostratum ( <i>G. lancas-</i> <i>triense</i> )	.60
GEUM	ciliatum ( <i>G. triflorum</i> )	.40
GLOBULARIA	cordifolia	.50
	incanescens	.60
	nana	.75
	nudicaule	.40
GYPSOPHILA	fratensis	.50
HEDERA	helix "Caenwoodi" rooted runners	.40
	helix "glomerata"	.75
	helix "minima"	.75
HELIANTHEMUM	"Oelandicum"	.75
HEPATICA	angulosa	.75
HEUCHERA	var. Plui de Feu	} .40
	Sanglant	
	Virginal	
	Unnamed white	
HORMINUM	pyrenaicum	.40



HOUSTONIA	coerulea, clumps of sdlgs., . . . . .	.30
HYDROCOTYLE	rotundifolia . . . . .	.40
ILEX	crenata 12-15" B&B . . . . .	1.00
	opaca 18-24" B&B . . . . .	1.50
IRIS	<i>arenaria</i> , see l. <i>flavissima</i>	
	cristata . . . . .	.30
	cristata alba . . . . .	1.00
	dichotoma . . . . .	.50
	dichotoma alba . . . . .	2.00
	ensata pabularia . . . . .	.60
	flavissima ( <i>I. arenaria</i> ) . . . . .	1.00
	Forrestii . . . . .	.75
	gracillipes . . . . .	.60
	graminea . . . . .	.60
	halophila ( <i>I. Gueldenstadtiana</i> ) . . . . .	.60
	Hookeri, dwarf form, (Labrador form of l. <i>setosa</i> ) . . . . .	1.00
	lacustris . . . . .	.40
	minuta . . . . .	1.00
	prismatica . . . . .	.50
	pumila . . . . .	.30
	Rossii . . . . .	.60
	Sintenesi . . . . .	.60
	tectorum . . . . .	.50
	tectorum album . . . . .	.75
	verna . . . . .	.50
	Wilsoni . . . . .	1.00
ISOPYRUM	baternatum . . . . .	.60
JUNIPERUS	horizontalis 1½' B&B . . . . .	1.25

horizontalis, Douglasi (Wauke-		
gan Juniper)	1½' B&B	1.25
procumbens . . . . .	1½' B&B	1.25
sabina tamariscifolia . .	1½' B&B	1.25
Sargenti . . . . .	1½' B&B	1.25
squamata Meyeri . . . .	1½' B&B	1.25
KIRENGESHOMA palmata . . . . .		2.00
LAMIUM maculatum album . . . . .		.40
LEUCOJUM vernum carpathicum .		.40
LIMONIUM Gougetianum S. . . . .		.75
globulariaefolium . . . . .		.75
LIRIOPE Muscari fol. var.		
( <i>Ophiopogon jaburan fol. var.</i> )		.50
LONICERA nitida . . . . .		.75
MAHONIA Aquifolium 12-15" B&B		1.25
MALVASTRUM coccineum . . . . .		.60
MARCHANTIA polymorpha . . . . .		.40
MAZUS repens ( <i>M. rugosus, trade</i> )		.30
MENTHA Requieni . . . . .		.40
OMPHALODES verna alba . . . . .		.40
OPUNTIA compressa ( <i>O. vulgaris</i> )		.40
OXALIS decaphylla . . . . .		.50
PACHISTIMA Canbyi . . . . .		.50
PACHYSANDRA procumbens . . . . .		.40
terminalis, variegated . . . . .		.40
PETROPHYTUM caespitosum		
( <i>Spiraea caespitosa</i> ) . . . . .		.75
PHLOX amoena, species . . . . .		.40
PHLOX amoena of the trade (see		
P. X procumbens)		
bifida . . . . .		.30

Brittoni . . . . .	.40
caespitosa . . . . .	.60
carolina, May-flowering form . .	.50
carolina, summer-flowering form	.40
divaricata ( <i>canadensis</i> ) alba . . .	.40
divaricata Laphami . . . . .	.30
X procumbens ( <i>P. amoena</i> , trade)	.30
X procumbens, variegated . . . . .	.60
stolonifera, rosy purple . . . . .	.30
stolonifera, blue . . . . .	.30
stolonifera, pure lilac . . . . .	.40
subulata alba . . . . .	.30
subulata lilacina . . . . .	.30
subulata Vivid . . . . .	.40
PHYTEUMA Scheuchzeri . . . . .	.40
PINUS densiflora umbraculifera,	
Tanyosho, 18-24" width . . .	7.50
Mugo, var. Mughus (Mugho	
Pine, dwarf type) 12-15"	
width . . . . .	1.25
POLEMONIUM reptans . . . . .	.40
Van Bruntiae . . . . .	.50
POTENTILLA alba . . . . .	.40
Kleiniana ( <i>P. Tonguei</i> of the	
trade) . . . . .	.50
rupestris pygnaea . . . . .	.40
verna nana . . . . .	.40
PRIMULA Juliae . . . . .	.40
Sieboldi, white . . . . .	.60
Sieboldi, clear rose pink . . . . .	.75
Sieboldi, rosy lilac shades . . . . .	.75

Sieboldi, pale lilac,—petunia-type	.75
vulgaris . . . . .	.30
PTEROCEPHALA Parnassi ( <i>Sca-</i> <i>biosa pterocephala</i> ) . . . . .	.40
PULMONARIA angustifolia . . . . .	.30
saccharata . . . . .	.40
RANUNCULUS montanus . . . . .	.40
RHODODENDRON ( <i>Azalea</i> )	
japonicum 12-15" B & B . . . . .	1.50
micranthum 15-18" B & B . . . . .	1.50
mollis 12-15" B & B . . . . .	1.50
obtusum Kaempferi 15-18" B & B	1.50
dauricum mucronulatum 15 18"	
B & B . . . . .	1.50
Schlippenbachi 10-12" B & B . . .	1.50
RUELLIA ciliosa . . . . .	.40
SALIX uva-ursi . . . . .	.60
SANGUINARIA canadensis—dble.	
flowering . . . . .	2.50
SARCOCOCCA Hookeriana var.	
humilis . . . . .	.50
SAXIFRAGA aizoon . . . . .	.50
aizoon balcana . . . . .	.60
aizoon flavescens . . . . .	.75
aizoon LaGaviana . . . . .	.60
aizoon rosea . . . . .	.75
altissima . . . . .	.60
X Andrewsii . . . . .	.60
X apiculata alba . . . . .	.75
bronchialis . . . . .	.75
cortusaefolia . . . . .	1.00

cotyledon . . . . .	.60
cotyledon X longifolia . . . . .	.75
coyledon unnamed hybrid . . . . .	.75
Fernandi-Coburgi . . . . .	1.00
Geum . . . . .	.60
Geum var. dentata . . . . .	.75
X Godseffiana . . . . .	1.00
lingulata "albida" . . . . .	.75
Macnabiana . . . . .	.50
sarmentosa . . . . .	.30
trifurcata var. ceratophylla . . . . .	.60
umbrosa . . . . .	.40
umbrosa primuloides . . . . .	.75
Wallacei . . . . .	.60
SCHIVERECKIA Bornmulleri . . . . .	.50
SCILLA chinensis, bulb . . . . .	.40
SCUTELLARIA indica japonica . . . . .	.60
SEDUM acre . . . . .	.30
acre majus . . . . .	.40
acre minus . . . . .	.40
aizoon . . . . .	.30
alboroseum . . . . .	.30
alboroseum variegatum . . . . .	.30
album . . . . .	.30
altissimum . . . . .	.30
anacampseros . . . . .	.60
amplixicaule . . . . .	.60
anglicum . . . . .	.40
anglicum minus . . . . .	.40
anopetalum . . . . .	.40
brevifolium . . . . .	.60

dasyphyllum . . . . .	.30
dasyphyllum glanduliferum . . . .	.40
dasyphyllum larger form, white- flowg. . . . .	.50
divergens . . . . .	.60
Douglasii . . . . .	.60
Ellacombianum . . . . .	.40
Ewersii . . . . .	.30
Ewersii homophyllum . . . . .	.50
gracile . . . . .	.40
hispanicum . . . . .	.30
hispanicum minus ( <i>S. lyidium</i> <i>glaucum</i> ) . . . . .	.40
hybridum . . . . .	.40
kamtchaticum . . . . .	.40
kamtchaticum variegatum . . . . .	.50
lineare robustum . . . . .	.50
lydium . . . . .	.40
Middendorffianum . . . . .	.40
Middendorffianum, broad-leaved, .	.50
Nevii . . . . .	.40
Nuttallianum (annual) . . . . .	.40
oreganum ( <i>Gormaniana oregana</i> ) .	.50
populifolium . . . . .	.50
pulchellum (perennial, of Prae- ger's Monograph) . . . . .	.60
pulchellum (annual) . . . . .	.50
pruinatum . . . . .	.60
( <i>pruinatum forsterianum</i> , Hort. is <i>S. rupestre</i> )	
reflexum, bright green . . . . .	.40



reflexum, gray, glaucous . . . . .	.40
reflexum cristatum . . . . .	.50
roseum ( <i>Rhodiola rosea</i> ) . . . . .	.75
rupestre . . . . .	.30
sarmentosum . . . . .	.30
sexangulare . . . . .	.30
Sieboldii . . . . .	.40
Sieboldii variegatum . . . . .	.75
spectabile . . . . .	.30
spectabile, small form . . . . .	.50
spurium . . . . .	.30
spurium album . . . . .	.50
spurium coccineum ( <i>coccineum splendens</i> ) . . . . .	.30
stenopetalum . . . . .	.40
stoloniferum . . . . .	.40
Stribnyi . . . . .	.50
ternatum . . . . .	.40
SEMPERVIVUM arachnoideum . . . . .	.30
calcareum . . . . .	.30
"Heuffelii" . . . . .	.60
"Reginae-Amaliae" . . . . .	.60
tectorum . . . . .	.30
triste . . . . .	.50
No. 60 . . . . .	.50
and countless other forms under uncertain names.	

Collection of 100 assorted, different  
forms, unnamed, for . . . . . \$20.00

*This collection includes some very  
striking and unusual forms.*

<b>SPECIAL Dwarf seedling</b> , tiniest of all, choice for planting on stones	.60
SENECIO tyrolensis	.60
SHORTIA galacifolia	.60
SILENE alpestris	.40
caroliana ( <i>S. pennsylvanica</i> )	.40
pumilio	.60
SISYRINCHIUM angustifolium	.30
bellum	.40
SPIRAEA bullata ( <i>S. crispifolia</i> )	1.00
decumbens	1.00
lucida	1.00
SYMPHYANDRA Hofmanni	.40
TALINUM teretifolium	.40
TAXUS cuspidata nana, very dwarf type 10-12"	2.50
media Hatfieldii, dwarf pyrami- dal form 12-15" B & B	4.00
media Hicksii 2½ ft. B & B	3.50
THALICTRUM alpinum	.60
THYMUS citriodorus (vulgaris X pulegioides), yellow var.	.50
herba barona (anise-scented)	.40
serpyllum	.30
serpyllum small-leaved, deep rose	.30
serpyllum lanuginosus	.30
serpyllum long, narrow-leaved form	.40
serpyllum white-variegated bush form	.40



serpyllum yellow-variegated,	
prostrate . . . . .	.40
vulgaris . . . . .	.30
TRICYRTIS hirta (Toadlily) . . . .	.60
TROLLIUS Ledebouri Orange	
Queen . . . . .	.40
TSUGA canadensis pendula (Sar-	
gent Weeping Hemlock)	
2-2½ ft. wide . . . . .	6.00
UMBILICUS chrysantha ( <i>Semper-</i>	
<i>vivum chrysanthum</i> ) . . . . .	.50
VALERIANA montana . . . . .	.50
VANCOUVERIA hexandra . . . . .	.50
VERBENA canadensis . . . . .	.30
VERONICA Allionii . . . . .	.40
armena . . . . .	.40
austriaca . . . . .	.50
fruticulosa (saxatilis) . . . . .	.40
fruticulosa alba . . . . .	.50
incana . . . . .	.30
nummularia . . . . .	.50
peduncularis, white . . . . .	.40
pectinata, blue . . . . .	.40
pectinata, rose . . . . .	.40
rupestris . . . . .	.30
rupestris rosea . . . . .	.40
rupestris Trehani . . . . .	.40
rupestris compact form, blue . . . .	.40
“spicata corymbosa” . . . . .	.50
“spicata alpina alba” . . . . .	.60

VINCA herbacea . . . . .	.50
minor, purple flwg. . . . .	.40
minor, white-flwg. . . . .	.30
minor, yellow-variegated . . . . .	.40
minor, Bowles' variety . . . . .	.40
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odorata alba . . . . .	.40
odorata apricot, scentless . . . . .	.40
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pedatifida . . . . .	.40
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